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The Honorable Tammy Baldwin Chair Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Washington, DC 20510 The Honorable John Hoeven Ranking Member Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairwoman Baldwin and Ranking Member Hoeven:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2022 Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration Appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Casey, Jr. United States Senator

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## Casey, Robert(D-PA) Agriculture Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Chesapeake Bay Foundation	The Halfmoon Creek Watershed is located in Centre and Huntingdon Counties of Pennsylvania. The Chesapeake Bay Foundation is working with local partners to implement a Section 319 Watershed Management Plan for the Halfmoon Creek Watershed that will address the impairment of the stream and set forth a vision for a healthier creek, watershed and community.	Centre and Huntingdon Counties PA	\$1,063
Animal Care Sanctuary	The Animal Care Sanctuary seeks \$180,000 for driveway lighting and repaving to ensure safety for the thousands of residents, rescue animals and companion animals they serve each year.	East Smithfield PA	\$138
Lancaster County Conservation District	The Pequea Creek drains roughly 153.3 square miles, feeding 240.5 miles of streams, spanning the border of Lancaster and Chester counties in Southeastern Pennsylvania. Approximately 86% of the stream miles in the watershed have aquatic life impairments, and of those, over 70% are affected by four or more sources of impairment. The proposed initiatives in this plan address a variety of the stream's impairments, with a specific focus on reducing sedimentation and nutrients from agricultural sources.	Lancaster and Chester counties PA	\$7,004
Commission on Economic Opportunity	The Weinberg Regional Food Bank is a 50,000 square foot food distribution center located in Jenkins Twp. The project includes a 15,000 square foot addition, including cooler and freezer space. Expansion is necessary to meet the need for food assistance in the region.	Pittson PA	\$250